Proposal to Change Degree Requirements for a Minor/Concentration/Track

NOTE: All gray text boxes must be completed (even if you just put N/A into them), otherwise the committee must consider the form incomplete.

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1. Department(s) or School(s): International Studies - LCWA

2. Name of the minor/concentration/track: Asia concentration

3. Semester and year in which degree change(s) will go into effect: Fall 2011

4. Change(s) Desired (Note: if the change includes deleting courses from the inventory, a Delete Course form must also be completed for each course, the Curriculum Committee does not assume the responsibility to delete the course):
   - Add courses to the Asia Concentration in the International Studies major:
     - In "History and Politics" section
       - HIST 277 Modern Middle East
       - PHIL 234 Eastern Philosophy
       - POLS 324 Politics of the Middle East
       - POLS 325 Politics of China
     - In "Art, Literature and Culture" section
       - ARTH 308 Studies in Asian Art
       - ARTH 321 Hindu Myth and Image
       - ARTH 322 Indian Painting
       - CHNS 290 Special Topics in Chinese Literature
       - RELS 205 Sacred Texts of the East

5. Justification for Change(s):
   - The International Studies/Asia concentration is an interdisciplinary/multi-disciplinary program of study that seeks to offer students a wide variety of courses focused on Asia in a structured program.
   - The courses we seek to add enhances and broadens the content of the concentration.

6. Does the change include deleting or adding courses from other departments? If yes, what department/program? Please contact the department chair/program director and request a note or email that they are aware of the proposed change and include that note with the proposal.
   - History Department
   - Philosophy Department
   - Political Science Department
   - Art History department
   - Religious Studies Department
   - Asian Studies Program

This form was approved by FCC on 8/17/2010 and replaces all others.
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6. Signature of Department Chair or Program Director:

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Date: ________________________

7. Signature of Dean of School:

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Date: ________________________

8. Signature of Provost:

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Date: ________________________

9. Signature of Curriculum Committee Chair:

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Date: ________________________

10. Signature of Faculty Senate Secretary:

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Date Approved by Senate: ________________________

Completed form should be sent by the Faculty Senate Secretary to the Registrar. After implementation, information concerning the passed course and program changes will be provided by the Registrar to all faculty and staff on campus.